

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF FREDERICK COUNTY  
MEETING MINUTES  
Tuesday, February 22, 2022**

Council Members M.C. Keegan-Ayer, President; Council Vice-President Michael Blue; Kai Hagen, Jessica Fitzwater, Jerry Donald, and Steve McKay were present for the meeting. Council Member Phil Dacey arrived at 5:50 p.m.

Also present were Catherine Keller, Assistant County Attorney; Ragen Cherney, County Council Chief of Staff; Sarah Ambrosio, Recording Secretary; and Nancy Luna, Executive Assistant, County Council.

Council President M.C. Keegan-Ayer called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. virtually via video conference.

**Opening Statement from Council President M.C. Keegan-Ayer**

Council President M.C. Keegan-Ayer provided an opening statement at the start of the meeting. Included in that statement was a welcoming to the Workshop for Tuesday, February 22, 2022 and information on how to watch and participate in the meeting. President Keegan-Ayer called roll and a quorum was established for the meeting.

The meeting began with a moment of silence followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Proposed Bill – Establish a Police Accountability Board**

County Executive Jan Gardner and County Attorney Bryon Black provided information to the Council on the Proposed Bill – Establish a Police Accountability Board.

**Public Hearing:**

**To Consider Bill No. 22-02 – Amendments to Ch. 1-7 of the Frederick County Code - Electrical Ordinance**

Council President M. C. Keegan-Ayer on behalf of the County Executive, presented information to the Council on Bill No. 22-02 – Amendments to Ch. 1-7 of the Frederick County Code - Electrical Ordinance.

Public Comment was heard from:

- None

President Keegan-Ayer then closed public comment on this item.

**To Consider Bill No. 22-03 – Amendments to Ch. 1-19 of the Frederick County Code (Zoning Ordinance) – Update Certain Definitions Related to Agricultural Uses**

Council Vice President Michael Blue and Council Member Jerry Donald on behalf of the County Executive, presented information to the Council on Bill No. 22-03 –

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Amendments to Ch. 1-19 of the Frederick County Code (Zoning Ordinance) – Update Certain Definitions Related to Agricultural Uses.

Public Comment was heard from:

- None

President Keegan-Ayer then closed public comment on this item.

**To Consider Bill No. 22-04 – Amendments to Ch. 1-6 of the Frederick County Code (Building Code) – Create a New Exception for, and to Define, a Farm Stand**

Council Vice President Michael Blue and Council Member Jerry Donald on behalf of the County Executive, presented information to the Council on Bill No. 22-04 – Amendments to Ch. 1-6 of the Frederick County Code (Building Code) – Create a New Exception for, and to Define, a Farm Stand.

Public Comment was heard from:

- Chuck Fry
- Emily Snyder

President Keegan-Ayer then closed public comment on this item.

**Public Comment was heard from:**

- Derek (last name inaudible)
- Maria Dennis
- Maxwell Neely
- William Mahome
- Watu Mariama
- Nick DiSalvio
- Mary Ann Ford
- Richard Kaplowitz
- Chris Fair
- Mary Astudillo

**Adjourn**

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

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M.C. Keegan-Ayer, President  
County Council